

SNOWBARGER, Chairman of the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union, reported that that Committee, having had under consideration the bill (H.R. 2616), to amend titles VI and X of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to improve and expand charter schools, had come to no resolution thereon.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. HANSEN). Pursuant to clause 5 of rule 1, the Chair will now put the question on each motion to suspend the rules on which further proceedings were postponed earlier today in the order in which that motion was entertained, except that without objection, the yeas and nays will be taken on H.R. 1839 after proceeding de novo on H.R. 1604.

Votes will be taken in the following order: H.R. 2265, de novo;

House Joint Resolution 91 de novo;
House Joint Resolution 92, de novo;

H.R. 1702 de novo;

H.R. 1836 de novo;

H.R. 2675 de novo;

H.R. 404 de novo;

H.R. 434 de novo;

Senate 588 de novo;

Senate 589 de novo;

Senate 591 de novo;

Senate 587 de novo;

H.R. 1856 de novo;

H.R. 1604 de novo;

H.R. 1839, yeas and nays; and

H.R. 948, yeas and nays.

There was no objection.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair will reduce to 5 minutes the time for any electronic vote after the first such vote in this series.

NO ELECTRONIC THEFT (NET) ACT

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. HANSEN). The pending business is the question de novo of suspending the rules and passing the bill, H.R. 2265, as amended.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from North Carolina [Mr. COBLE], that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 2265, as amended.

The question was taken; and (two-thirds having voted in favor thereof) the rules were suspended and the bill, as amended, was passed.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

APALACHICOLA-CHATAHOOCHEE- FLINT RIVER BASIN COMPACT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The pending business is on the question de novo of suspending the rules and passing the joint resolution, H.J. Res. 91, as amended.

The Clerk read the title of the joint resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Pennsylvania [Mr. GEKAS], that the House suspend the rules and pass the joint resolution, H.J. Res. 91, as amended.

The question was taken; and (two-thirds having voted in favor thereof) the rules were suspended and the joint resolution, as amended, was passed.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

ALABAMA-COOSA-TALLAPOOSA RIVER BASIN COMPACT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The pending business is the question de novo of suspending the rules and passing the joint resolution, H.J. Res. 92, as amended.

The Clerk read the title of the joint resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Pennsylvania [Mr. GEKAS] that the House suspend the rules and pass the joint resolution, H.J. Res. 92, as amended.

The question was taken; and (two-thirds having voted in favor thereof) the rules were suspended and the joint resolution, H.J. Res. 92, as amended, was passed.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

COMMERCIAL SPACE ACT OF 1997

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The pending business is the question de novo of suspending the rules and passing the bill, H.R. 1702, as amended.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from California [Mr. ROHRBACHER] that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 1702, as amended.

The question was taken; and (two-thirds having voted in favor thereof) the rules were suspended and the bill, as amended, was passed.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

FEDERAL EMPLOYEES HEALTH CARE PROTECTION ACT OF 1977

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The pending business is the question de novo of suspending the rules and passing the bill, H.R. 1836, as amended.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Florida [Mr. MICA] that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 1836, as amended.

The question was taken; and (two-thirds having voted in favor thereof) the rules were suspended and the bill, as amended, was passed.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

FEDERAL EMPLOYMENT LIFE INSURANCE IMPROVEMENT ACT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The pending business is the question de novo of suspending the rules and passing the bill, H.R. 2675, as amended.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Florida [Mr. MICA] that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 2675, as amended.

The question was taken; and (two-thirds having voted in favor thereof) the rules were suspended and the bill, as amended, was passed.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

AMENDING FEDERAL PROPERTY AND ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES ACT OF 1949 TO AUTHORIZE TRANSFER TO STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS OF CER- TAIN SURPLUS PROPERTY FOR USE FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT OR PUBLIC SAFETY PURPOSES

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The pending business is the question de novo of suspending the rules and passing the bill, H.R. 404, as amended.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from California [Mr. HORN] that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 404, as amended.

The question was taken; and (two-thirds having voted in favor thereof) the rules were suspended and the bill, as amended, was passed.

The title of the bill was amended so as to read:

"A bill to amend the Federal Property and Administrative Services Act of 1949 to authorize the transfer to State and local governments of certain surplus property needed for use for a law enforcement or fire and rescue purpose."

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

CARSON AND SANTA FE NATIONAL FORESTS LAND CONVEYANCES

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The pending business is the question de novo of suspending the rules and passing the bill, H.R. 434, as amended.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentlewoman from Idaho [Mrs. CHENOWETH] that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 434, as amended.

The question was taken; and (two-thirds having voted in favor thereof) the rules were suspended and the bill, as amended, was passed.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

EAGLES NEST WILDERNESS EXPANSION

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The pending business is the question de